
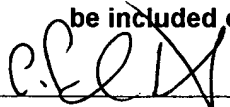
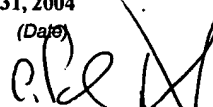
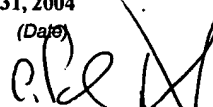
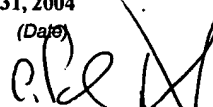


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Applicant(s): Adam D. Pratt											
Application No. 10/605,729	Filing Date 10/22/2003	Examiner Neill R. Wilson	Customer No. 24041	Group Art Unit 3677	Confirmation No. 2728						
Invention: FASTENER WITH ADHESIVE											
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.											
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